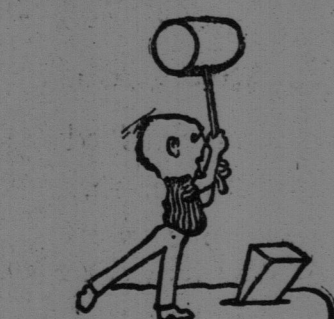


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THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. York L. O. L. meets for election of officers. The Martins Co. in Charley's Aunt at the Opera House. Moving pictures, illustrated songs and orchestral music at the Nickel. Motion photographs, illuminated songs and catchy music at Fairbanks. The Cedar Mount Picture Theatre. N. B. Military Veterans will meet in Market Building. Annual meeting of the Kindergarten Association will be held at the High School building. K. of P. Boston 108 Club meets in Castle Hall, Germain street at 8 o'clock. Concert Leinster street Baptist church. Motion Photographs and illustrated songs at Princess Theatre.

Advertisers are requested to send advertising changes to this office before 10 a. m. to ensure insertion same day.

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LATE LOCALS

C. P. R. steamer Lake Erie, is due at Liverpool today from Montreal, after discharging she will load for this port.

Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., meets in Tabernacle church vestry tonight. All members are requested to attend; special business.

The names of James Geary and William Fox, of Fairville, were inadvertently omitted from the published list of guests at the Hazen banquet last evening.

C. P. R. steamer Monmouth, Captain Ward, sailed last night for Bristol via Liverpool with a large general cargo including 300 cattle.

The W. S. Harkins Company will include in their itinerary this season a tour of the West Indies. They will sail from Halifax on January 11th.

Mrs. J. A. McAvity delivered an interesting lecture on "The Court of Witches in the 18th Century," at the Natural History Museum yesterday afternoon.

Johnston Lodge, I. O. B. A. No. 19 intend holding a fancy sale in the afternoon and evening of Friday and Saturday, 6th and 7th inst., in Orange Hall, Germain St.

Manifests for 28 tons of corn and wheat were received at the customs house today from United States frontier ports to go forward in winterport steamers. Total to date 259 cars of United States goods.

Allan line steamship Tumbian, now on her way to Liverpool from this port took a cargo valued at \$224,236 which includes \$108,307 worth of United States goods. She has on board 73,841 bushels wheat.

The free kindergarten association will hold their annual meeting tomorrow (Friday) evening in exhibition hall, High School, Union street. A large attendance is hoped for as Prof. D. W. Hamilton, of the Normal School will be the speaker.

The gathering of the local opposition supporters yesterday afternoon in Keith's Assembly Rooms was most enthusiastic. Besides the St. John men, there were representatives from the various counties and of various nationalities. Foreclosed a change of government after the next elections.

A batch of 600 passengers of the stranded C. P. R. liner Mount Temple, passed through the city yesterday en route to Montreal. They were of various nationalities. During the short stay of the special train here some of those that could speak English told harrowing tales of suffering from the cold.

A. W. McMackin, who has been local manager of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, has been promoted to the position of general superintendent. Since the resignation of Mr. Hackett from the general superintendency, Mr. McMackin has been performing his duties. Fred J. Niet has succeeded Mr. McMackin as local manager, the changes going into effect Dec. 1.

There will be a meeting of the young people of Waterloo street United Baptist church tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a young people's society. Addresses will be delivered by Messrs. Watson and Dearness. Rev. E. C. Jenkins will also speak; subject, "What Jesus Christ would have this church to do." Strangers cordially invited.

Arthur G. Ross, who was formerly employed in the Daily Telegraph job office, and who went west early last fall, has returned home and is now employed in the C. P. R. on the west side. Friends of Mr. Ross will be surprised to learn that previous to his going west he was married to Miss Emma L. Clark, daughter of George Clark, 27 Murray street. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will make their home in St. John.

The section of Union street which was recently in the limelight because of the trouble-tracking, was the scene of an accident yesterday afternoon. A junk wagon, standing near Mrs. Sweeney's tobacco store was struck by a street car and both horse and vehicle were pushed on the sidewalk, the wagon shaft being driven through the storm door of Mrs. Sweeney's shop. The railway people agreed to make good the damages.

Before Capt. James Feore, of Mobile, who purchased the barkentine Hilleide, left Yarmouth he made an offer of \$3,500 for the homestead premises of the late Capt. Thos. E. Kelley, Parade street. The holders of the property declined to accept it, and Capt. Feore left Yarmouth about two weeks ago, leaving the offer open and in the hands of Capt. Joseph W. Boyd. We understand that yesterday the offer was accepted, and Capt. Feore has been notified. His reply is now awaited to close the bargain.—Yarmouth Herald, Dec. 4.

Today the St. Andrews Beacon says:—"Captain Robinson of the fishery protection schooner Curlew, was in port last Friday. He reports all quiet on the frontier. The sardine factories having closed here and there for bait. A few herring have been going into Grand Manan, but the season as a whole on the island has fallen below the mark. The best work of the whole season has been done by the haddock fishermen of Beaver Harbor, who will close the year with an average of from \$1,200 to \$1,800 per man. Boats have been getting from \$18 to \$22 worth of fish in one net.

MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS

The Value of This Advice Forcibly Illustrated By An Incident On the Ferry.

As an illustration of the funny things sometimes heard in the cabins of the ferry boats a little incident which occurred one night recently will serve. It was on one of the "after ten o'clock" trips and the men E-cabin on the Ludlow were well filled with passengers. Among others was a young man, immaculate in new clothes and white linen who was in that "happy, care free" state which is but short step removed from intoxication and a number of members of the crew of one of the steamers in port. The "happy" young man foolishly obtruded himself upon them and joined in their conversation. One of the sons of Neptune, with an accent which suggested the Liverpool docks invited the young man to stand up and remove his hat. He did so and the sailor introduced him to the others in the cabin in the following terms: "Ladies and Gentlemen: "It is the great pleasure in introducing to your notice this 'evening Mr.— the greatest gentleman bum in St. John. 'E cawn't get a wet in 'any blooming' bulc in the p'oce, but e and more like im are 'only too glad to 'hivite us blokes over to a pub with 'im. We know them all and we need to go with 'im until we found 'e never 'ad a blooming cent and we always 'ad to pay the score."

After this verbal castigation the well dressed young man sheepishly subsided. It was a very good example of the wisdom of the old axiom, "mind your own business."

WEDDINGS

Gillmor—Langill. Miss Minnie May Langill and Dunvell E. Gillmor were married Thanksgiving evening, November 28th, at the home of the bride's uncle, Charles H. Bell, 18 Chesham street, Jamaica Plain. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. P. C. Edmond of the First Methodist church in the presence of a company of relatives and friends. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Knappstein. The house was attractively decorated with laurel and palms. The bride was very becomingly attired in a gown of white crepe-de-chine and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by Miss E. A. Bennett, of Dorchester, Mass., who wore white lace and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Oliver P. Stoughton supported the groom. Refreshments were served by Hardy, of Arlington, caterer. Mr. and Mrs. Gillmor will spend a month in Canada on a wedding trip after which they will reside in Jamaica Plain, Mass. There were many beautiful wedding presents including silver and cut glass.

Wade—Rutledge. Miss Bridgetta Rutledge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rutledge, of Oranmore, was married in Boston on Nov. 28 to William A. Wade, also a native of the province. The ceremony, which took place in St. Joseph's church, was performed by Rev. Father Walsh. Mrs. M. F. Kerwin and E. D. Dowling, of Boston, were the attendants. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. G. L. Churchill.

OBITUARY

Fred S. Hutchinson. St. Stephen, N. B., Dec. 4.—A telegram was received here tonight by Ganong Bros. from Dr. J. F. Teed, of Dorchester, stating that Fred S. Hutchinson died there this evening about 8 o'clock, from jaundition of the heart.

News of his death was heard here with deep regret, for Mr. Hutchinson was well known and highly respected by all classes in this community. Mr. Hutchinson was for a number of years a popular conductor on the Shore Line. About twenty years ago he entered the employ of Ganong Bros. and for a short time a member of the firm. He then entered the employ of the company as salesman, in which capacity he was successful at the time of his death. Mr. Hutchinson leaves a widow, who was Miss Lilla Berryman, and two sons, Sterling about fifteen years of age, and a younger son about three years of age. He was a member of Sussex Lodge F. & A. M., and of Border Lodge K. of P. The body will arrive tomorrow and the funeral will probably be on Sunday.

Col. J. T. Twining. Halifax, Dec. 4.—(Special)—J. T. Twining, of the insurance firm of J. T. Twining & Son, died this afternoon. He had been in poor health for a year. Last week he sustained an apoplectic fit. He was an ardent militia man and at the time of his death was colonel of the 63rd Halifax Rifles. A year ago his wife died, and two years ago their only son was killed in an explosion of gun powder with which he and companions were playing.

EVERY DAY CLUB

The Rev. J. C. Kean, for some reason unexplained, did not appear at the Every Day Club hall last evening to speak on Life in the Slums of London. The club was equal to the occasion. The Maritime Phonograph Co. kindly loaned them a fine instrument with a lot of excellent records, and a general entertainment was given to the large number of men present. There were vocal solos by Messrs. Chisholm, Logan, Ramsey, Allen and Marshall, recitations by McAvour, Flaherty and Smith, and step-dancing by Short and Marshall. These, with the fine gramophone selections, a brief talk by the president and piano music by Mr. Walker, entertained the crowd till ten o'clock.

This evening the club has its third weekly debate, and the members are greatly interested. All men are welcome.

THE FISH MARKET

There is a fairly good supply in the local retail fish market. In tomorrow's trade and the general variety is as good as can be expected at this time of year. Dealers again urge that orders be placed this afternoon or evening to ensure prompt delivery tomorrow morning.

Prices rule as follows: Cod 6c per lb., halibut 8c, cod steak 10c, halibut 12c, smelt 10c, mackerel 12c, each, oysters 75c to \$1.00 per quart, clams 15c, scallops 60c, salt cod 6c per lb., boned cod 12c, Digby chickens 18c per box, kippers 24c, and blotters 24c per dozen, herring haddies 8c per lb.

CIVIC PAY DAY

The semi-monthly civic pay roll was disbursed by Cashier D. R. Willett today as follows: Official \$1,188.70 Police 1,201.25 Fire 816.03 Salvage 50.00 Ferry 595.17 Public works 151.60 Market 97.80 \$4,160.71

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